Corporate Responsibility Research Conference 2018 Sustainability Research Institute, University of Leeds, UK

PhD WORKSHOP

Monday 10th September

14.00	Welcome and Topic 1: Overcoming PhD problems
	By Prof William Young (University of Leeds, UK).
	Each person writes down the issues, concerns or problems that need to be overcome as part of their PhD. These could be anything from:
	 Practical issues regarding data collection (e.g. where to start or when to stop) or getting the feedback from supervisors.
	 Content related concerns associated with acquiring the substantive knowledge needed to understand relevant field of enquiry.
	 Process worries related to the time it is taking to complete certain aspects of the research.
	Even methodological worries can be discussed!Anything related to your PhD can be discussed.
14.05	 Organise into groups of 5-6 people & introductions. Discuss within each group how to overcome one problem from each person & develop 2-3 questions for the panel.
14.40	Questions to the panel.
15:00	Break.
15:30	Topic 2: Surviving the examination & Viva
	 A conversation between examiners Dr Ralf Barkemeyer (Kedge Business School, France) and Dr Alice Owen (University of Leeds, UK).
16.00	Questions to the panel.
16.20	Break.
16.30	Topic 3: Establishing a career in academia By Prof William Young and Dr Sally Russell (University of Leeds, UK).
	 Factors used in academia to choose new colleagues. Form into new groups to discuss career aspirations and develop 2-3 questions for the panel.
17:00	Questions to panel.
17:30	Close